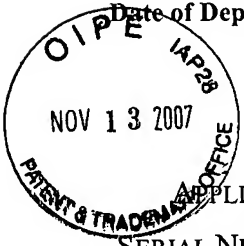


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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Enclosed herewith for filing ion the above-identified application please find the following document:

1. Supplemental Preliminary Amendment (7 pages)
2. Return Postcard.

Applicants believe no fees are due with this response. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees that may be due, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Reference No. 22596-537 CON. A duplicate copy of this Transmittal Letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

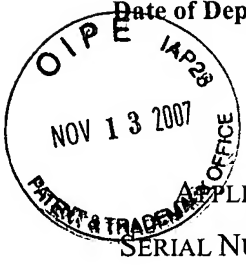
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SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Further to the Amendment and Response to the July 27, 2007 Requirement for Restriction and Election of Species filed on November 6, 2007 and preliminary to examination, please amend the specification as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.